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Amendment A

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Sir:

In response to Office Action mailed 2005, August 1st, please amend the above application as follows (modifications shown in bold):

Claims: Cancel all claims of record and substitute new claim 9 and 10 as follows.

9. A self contained, scoring banner comprising:

a front face and a back face coupled together and of the type comprising a sheet of lightweight, flexible first material capable of being repeatedly bent and straightened out without fracturing and of sufficient size to accommodate the display of a team insignia,

whereby said front face and back face form a housing,

said housing having the means of supporting a plurality of scoring elements,

said scoring elements of the type comprising a sheet of lightweight, flexible second material capable of being repeatedly bent and straightened out without fracturing,

whereby said scoring elements have the means to conform and form fit to the various flexible shapes formed by said housing,

means for displaying said scoring elements within **said housing,**

means for positioning said scoring elements into a plurality of scoring symbol displays,

means for using attachments to display **said housing** to a variety of support structures,

means for said housing, said scoring elements and said attachments to be a self contained scoring banner,

means for rolling up and securing said self contained scoring banner into a relatively compact cylindrical configuration for storage and transportation,

whereby a sport's team may attach said scoring banner to a variety of support structures, display a team's insignia and opposing team scores and roll and secure said scoring banner into a self contained, compact and cylindrical form for easy storage and transportation.

10. The scoring banner of claim 9 further comprising a **means to hold, secure and display** at least one team mascot toy.